

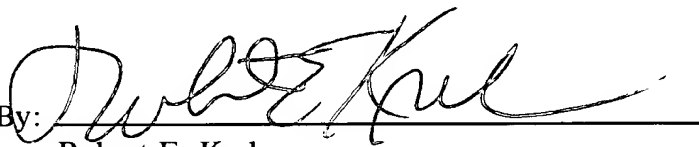
59. A method as claimed in Claim 37, wherein nozzle melt pressure, injection cylinder hydraulic pressure, forward propelling force applied to said screw, or any other measure proportional to or equal to said nozzle melt pressure, is used as a measure of, in place of, or to determine, injection pressure.

REMARKS

The claims of the subject application have been amended to avoid multiple dependency. Favorable consideration of the application is respectfully requested.

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